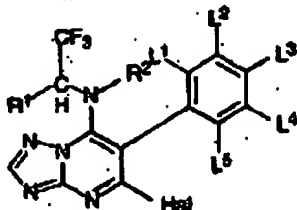


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AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

1. (previously presented) A compound of formula I



in which

R^1 represents a hydrogen or a methyl group;

R^2 represents a hydrogen atom or an optionally substituted C_1 - C_{10} -alkyl, C_2 - C_{10} -alkenyl, C_2 - C_{10} -alkynyl, C_4 - C_{10} -alkadienyl or phenyl group, wherein the optional substituents are selected from the group consisting of nitro, cyano, C_3 - C_6 -cycloalkyl, C_3 - C_6 -cycloalkenyl, C_1 - C_6 -haloalkyl, C_3 - C_6 -halocycloalkyl, C_1 - C_6 -alkoxy, C_1 - C_6 -haloalkoxy, tri- C_1 - C_4 -alkylsilyl, phenyl, halophenyl, dihalophenyl and pyridyl;

Hal represents a halogen atom; and

L^1 through L^5 each represent a hydrogen or halogen atom or an C_1 - C_{10} -alkoxy or nitro group, provided that at least one of L^1 through L^5 represents a nitro or alkoxy group.

2. (original) A compound according to claim 1 in which at least one of L^1 and L^5 represents a halogen atom.
3. (original) A compound according to claim 1 in which R^2 represents a hydrogen or a C_1 - C_{10} alkyl group.
4. (original) A compound according to claim 1 in which at least one of R^1 and R^2 represents a hydrogen atom.
5. (previously presented) The compound of formula I defined in claim 1 which is selected from the group consisting of
5-chloro-6-(4-methoxyphenyl)-7-(2,2,2-trifluoroethylamino)-[1,2,4]triazolo[1,5-a]pyrimidine;